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**CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** 

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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pplic	ant h	erewith submits to the United State	es Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the fo	ollowing items and other information:				
1.	$\boxtimes$	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
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3.	Ø	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.						
4.		The US has been elected (Article	31).	•				
<b>5</b> .	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Applica	ation as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))					
		a.   is attached hereto (requi	ired only if not communicated by the Internation	nal Bureau).				
		b. 🛛 has been communicated	d by the International Bureau.	•.				
		c.  is not required, as the ap	pplication was filed in the United States Receivi	ing Office (RO/US).				
6.	$\boxtimes$	An English language translation of	of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	C. 371(c)(2)).				
		a. 🛚 is attached hereto.						
		b.  has been previously sub	omitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
7.	$\boxtimes$	Amendments to the claims of the	International Application under PCT Article 19 (	(35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))				
		a.   are attached hereto (required)	uired only if not communicated by the Internation	onal Bureau).				
		b.  have been communicated by the International Bureau.						
		c.  have not been made; ho	owever, the time limit for making such amendme	ents has NOT expired.				
		d. 🛛 have not been made and	d will not be made.					
8.		An English language translation of	f the amendments to the claims under PCT Arti	icle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).				
9.	$\boxtimes$	An oath or declaration of the inven						
10.		An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).						
11.		A copy of the International Prelimi	inary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).					
12.	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Search	Report (PCT/ISA/210).					
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13.		An Information Disclosure Statem	nent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
14.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
15.	$\boxtimes$	A FIRST preliminary amendment.						
16.		A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.						
17.								
18.	$\boxtimes$	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.						
19.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.						
20.		A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
21.		A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
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- That I am a citizen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, 1. residing at 96 Langley Road, Watford, Hertfordshire, WD17 4PJ, England;
- 2. That I am well acquainted with the French and English languages;
- 3. That the attached is a true translation into the English language of the Request and Specification of International Patent Application No. PCT/FR2004/001638 as originally filed:
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